



In tribute to Miss Barton, her Dansville neighbors organized, August 22, 1881, the "Dansville Society of the Red Cross," which now bears her name and is designated as Chapter No. 1.

*Free
nominee
Barton*



AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS

CLARA BARTON CHAPTER NO. 1

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November 9, 1965

Mrs. Freda T. Hliddal
Curator
The Hall of Fame for Great Americans
1009 Fifth Avenue
New York, N.Y. 10028

Dear Mrs. Hliddal:

It has been our understanding that by November 1 a decision would have been reached on the candidates for election to the Hall of Fame.

Page 22 of your book indicates that votes must be received by October 15, and that names approved by a majority of the Electors will be inscribed in the Hall of Fame unless disapproved before November 1 by a majority of the voting members of the Senate of New York University.

Doubtless you have a great deal of correspondence on your hands now, and we do not wish to add to your problems. But it happens that our book, Clara Barton and Dansville, is almost completely in type. We have an opportunity now, on galley proof, to make changes. Since the pages have been planned, to the end, except for one chapter, our time is rather limited. We would wish to include any mention that might be suitable.

Sincerely yours,

William D. Conklin

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Public Information Chairman

cc: Exec. Sec'y

[The Chapter House is a Memorial to Emma Hartman Noyes, a Charter Member of the Chapter. It was her home for many years. In 1949, it was presented to the American Red Cross by her sons and daughter—
Nicholas H. Noyes, Jansen Noyes, and Katherine F. Noyes.]

*Sent
tabulation
of votes
11/12/65*